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Comment: The Ozimek Foundry referred to in section "c(2)" is presumably the Malapanew Steel Works.

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**a. Supply Depots**

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<u>Installation</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
U/1 Corps Clothing and Uniforms Depot	Torun (N-53-02,E-18-36)	factory that produced and/or experimented with aerial observation balloons prior to WW II, and was situated approximately one kilometer from Torun.
U/1 Tank Storage Depot	Braniewo (N 54-23,E 19- 50)	During 1953 the 41st Armd Arty Regt, sent several enlisted working groups to this depot to assist in permanently storing an unknown number of T34 and JS-2 tanks.

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Remarks

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these tanks would be issued  
to tank units in time of war,  
to replace tanks currently  
used.

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several such tank storage  
depots were located through-  
out Poland.

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**b. Military Hospitals**

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<u>Hospital</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Corps Military Hospital #105	Walcz (Deutsch Krone) (N-53-16,E 16-28)	<p>[redacted] this hospital as very large with a minimum of five buildings, each approximately 50 x 100 m in size. (Number of patients unknown.) It was used as a hospital during WW II by the German forces. Several new wings were under construction.</p>
Ministry of National Defense Hospital	On Koszykowa Street, Warsaw	[redacted]
U/1 Corps Military Hospital	Torun	<p>[redacted] hospital</p> <p>[redacted] was larger than Corps Military Hospital #105 which was at Walcz (see above) and [redacted] it was much better equipped. Dependents of military personnel were also treated at this hospital.</p>
U/1 Military Hospital	Koszalin (Köslin) (N 54-12,E 16-11)	<p>[redacted] Polish officers [redacted] had been patients at this hospital.</p>
U/1 Military District Hospital	Bydgoszcz	<p>[redacted]</p> <p>[redacted] this hospital</p> <p>[redacted] Due to its geographical location, [redacted] may be the Second Military District Hospital.)</p>

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<u>Hospital</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	
U/1 Military Hospital	Bialogard (N 54-00,E 16-00)		25X1

**c. Armament Factories**

## (1) Small Arms

<u>Factory</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	
The Starachowice Works (Zaklady Starachowice)	Starachowice (N 51-09,E 20-33)		25X1
J. Stalin Works (Zaklady Stalina)	Poznan	factory produced pistol parts and shipped them to Starachowice for assembly. The civilian stated that the Starachowice factory manufactured springs and other small parts for the Polish version of the Tokarev pistol. This factory also produced unknown types of vehicles.	25X1
Stalowa Wola Foundry (Huta Stalowa Wola)	Stalowa Wola (N 50-34,E 22-03)	this factory produced the Polish version of the Tokarev pistol and SMG's. It had an underground firing range to test small arms.	25X1

Tank

<u>Factory</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	
Labedy Foundry (Huta Labedy)	Labedy (N 50-20,E 18-37)	tank demonstration at the 16th Mech. Div. at Czarne (N 53-41,E 16-56)	25X1

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<u>Factory</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	
Ozimek Foundry (Huta Ozimek)	Ozimek (N 50-41, E 18-13)	T34/85 tank being demonstrated was an improved version, which was being manufactured at Labedy.	
J. Stalin-Zabrze Foundry (Huta Zabrze Im. Jozefa Stalina)	Zabrze (N 50-19, E 18-47)	[redacted] tank tracks and other parts were produced at this factory.	25X1
Bobrek Foundry (Huta Bobrek)	Bobrek (N 50-20, E 18-25)	During 1950, approximately 6000 persons were employed in three eight-hour shifts. [redacted] [redacted] It manufactured tank transmissions, drive shafts, and differentials.	25X1 25X1 25X1
Swietochlowice Works (Zaklady Swietochlowice)	Swietochlowice (N 50-17, E 18-55)	[redacted] this factory [redacted] manufactured various tank parts and tracks, and also had been used by German forces during WW II.	25X1 25X1 25X1
		[redacted] the 41st Armd Arty Regt, and also the 9th Ind Med Tk Regt, sent several tank and artillery weapons to this factory for major maintenance, such as a complete overhaul, plus installation of new tank engines and/or gun barrels. Other overhauled tanks and/or artillery weapons were issued as replacements by this plant. A tank testing area was allegedly located near the factory and was used to thoroughly test tanks after overhauling. [redacted] a three-officer commission from this plant investigated the circumstances of armored vehicle accidents for possible sabotage or negligence.	25X1 25X1

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## (3) Chemical

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<u>Factory</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
U/i Chemical Factory	Bydgoszcz	25X1 [redacted] an explosion, which killed many workers, occurred in one department of this factory. It supposedly produced gun powder, powder fuzes, and other unknown explosive materials. [redacted] 25X1 [redacted] it had been used for similar production by the German forces during WW II.
Chemical Factory	Kedzierzyn	25X1 [redacted] It produced nitro-glycerine and other unknown explosive materials for military and civilian use.
Other		
<u>Factory</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
U/i Factory	Budzyn (N 50-57, E 22-12)	25X1 [redacted] some type(s) of special weapon (s) was manufactured there for the military forces. Workers lived within the factory area and were supposedly well-paid. The factory area was heavily guarded by Internal Security Corps (KBW) troops with dogs. Several partly underground magazines were seen at the factory area. [redacted] 25X1 forced labor was also used.

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